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Application or Docket Number

10/777,848 (Serie 6104)

**CLAIMS AS FILED - PART I**

(Column 1)

(Column 2)

**SMALL ENTITY**

OR

**OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY**

| FOR   | NUMBER FILED | NUMBER EXTRA |
|---|--------------|--------------|
| BASIC FEE<br>(37 CFR 1.16(a))                     |              |              |
| TOTAL CLAIMS<br>(37 CFR 1.16(c))                  | minus 20 =   | *            |
| INDEPENDENT CLAIMS<br>(37 CFR 1.16(b))            | minus 3 =    | *            |
| MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM PRESENT (37 CFR 1.16(d)) |              |              |

| RATE  | FEE |
|-------|-----|
|       |     |
| X     | *   |
| X     | *   |
| +     | *   |
| TOTAL |     |

| RATE  | FEE |
|-------|-----|
|       |     |
| X     | *   |
| X     | *   |
| +     | *   |
| TOTAL |     |

\* If the difference in column 1 is less than zero, enter "0" in column 2.

**CLAIMS AS AMENDED - PART II**

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(Column 1)

(Column 2)

(Column 3)

**SMALL ENTITY**

OR

**OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY**

| AMENDMENT D   | CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT | HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR | PRESENT EXTRA |
|---|----------------------------------|------------------------------------|---------------|
| Total<br>(37 CFR 1.16(d))                                       | 33                               | 44                                 | 0             |
| Independent<br>(37 CFR 1.16(b))                                 | 8                                | 3                                  | 5             |
| FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM (37 CFR 1.16(d)) |                                  |                                    |               |

| RATE            | ADDITIONAL FEE |
|-----------------|----------------|
| X               | *              |
| X               | *              |
| +               | *              |
| TOTAL ADD'L FEE |                |

| RATE            | ADDITIONAL FEE |
|-----------------|----------------|
| X               | \$50 = 0       |
| X               | \$200 = 1,000  |
| +               | *              |
| TOTAL ADD'L FEE | \$1,000        |

| AMENDMENT E   | CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT | HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR | PRESENT EXTRA |
|---|----------------------------------|------------------------------------|---------------|
| Total<br>(37 CFR 1.16(d))                                       | 64                               | 44                                 | 20            |
| Independent<br>(37 CFR 1.16(b))                                 | 10                               | 8                                  | 2             |
| FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM (37 CFR 1.16(d)) |                                  |                                    |               |

| RATE            | ADDITIONAL FEE |
|-----------------|----------------|
| X               | *              |
| X               | *              |
| +               | *              |
| TOTAL ADD'L FEE |                |

| RATE            | ADDITIONAL FEE |
|-----------------|----------------|
| X               | 1,000          |
| X               | 400            |
| +               | *              |
| TOTAL ADD'L FEE | 1,400          |

| AMENDMENT F   | CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT | HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR | PRESENT EXTRA |
|---|----------------------------------|------------------------------------|---------------|
| Total<br>(37 CFR 1.16(d))                                       |                                  |                                    |               |
| Independent<br>(37 CFR 1.16(b))                                 |                                  |                                    |               |
| FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM (37 CFR 1.16(d)) |                                  |                                    |               |

| RATE            | ADDITIONAL FEE |
|-----------------|----------------|
| X               | *              |
| X               | *              |
| +               | *              |
| TOTAL ADD'L FEE |                |

| RATE            | ADDITIONAL FEE |
|-----------------|----------------|
| X               | *              |
| X               | *              |
| +               | *              |
| TOTAL ADD'L FEE |                |

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Application No.: 10/777,848  
Applicants: Olivier BRAUN, et al.  
Filed: February 12, 2004  
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Examiner: Helen Lee Pezzuto  
Docket No.: Serie 6104  
Customer No.: 000040582

**AMENDMENT**

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action of January 26, 2005, please amend the application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listings of claims, which begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 14 of this paper.

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